

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 219 - SB 372

February 9, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Deletes language from current statute so that the services provided by the Department of Children's Services (DCS), not solely the focus of those services, shall be to further the best interest of the child, and when appropriate, to preserve the relationship between the child and the family.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Based on information provided by DCS, the department's purpose is to always further the best interest of the child and when appropriate the relationship between a child and the family.
- The proposed legislation will not alter the current services provided by the department; therefore, the fiscal impact is not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Jeffrey L. Spalding".

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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